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(b) whether the report and Government Order thereon will be published and whether copies of the same will be supplied to the Members of the Council?

A.—(a) No.

(b) The suggestion will be considered.

Mr. S. SATYAMURTI:—"May I know when the Government will be in a position to pass orders on this report?"

The hon. Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN:—"I think the orders will perhaps be issued before the end of March."

Teaching of spinning in local board schools in East Godavari.

* 1392 Q.—Mr. K. V. R. SWAMI: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) in how many schools, (i) secondary, (ii) higher elementary and (iii) lower elementary, under the management of local bodies in East Godavari, spinning is taught;

(b) what the capital expenditure is;

(c) what the return if any is; and

(d) what the quantity of yarn is?

A.—(a), (b), (c) & (d). The Government have no information but have called for it.

Local Boards

Representation of ladies in Municipal Councils and District Boards.

* 1393 Q.—Mr. P. C. VENKATAPATI RAJU: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state whether there are any district boards and municipal councils without lady members?

A.—Yes. There are some district boards and municipal councils which have no lady members.

Village Panchayats

Proposal to introduce a measure giving powers of the village courts to the village panchayats.

* 1394 Q.—The ZAMINDAR OF GOLLAPALLI: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state whether the Government propose to introduce a measure giving powers of the village courts to the village panchayats?

A.—The attention of the hon. Member is invited to the answer to question No. 1132.

Medical

Appointment of honorary physicians and surgeons in district and taluk headquarter hospitals.

* 1395 Q.—Mr. BASHEER AHMAD SAYEED: Will the hon. the Minister for Public Health be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government have at any time considered the advisability of appointing honorary physicians and surgeons attached to